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IN RE APPLICATION OF : James T. Land

FOR : **PACKAGING FOR CONTAINING AND  
DISPENSING LARGE QUANTITIES OF  
WIRE**

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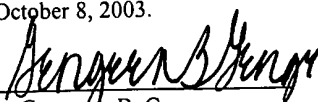
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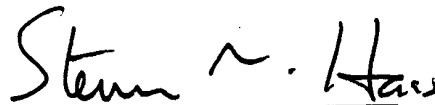
**37 CFR §1.98(d)**

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 from U.S. application Serial No. 09/944,565, filed 09/04/2001. Accordingly, copies of the documents listed on the attached form PTO-1449 that were cited by or to the Office in the 09/944,565 application have not been submitted herewith. Specifically, this includes documents AA-AW cited on the attached form PTO-1449.

It is respectfully requested that the attached document(s) be considered and officially cited in examination of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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